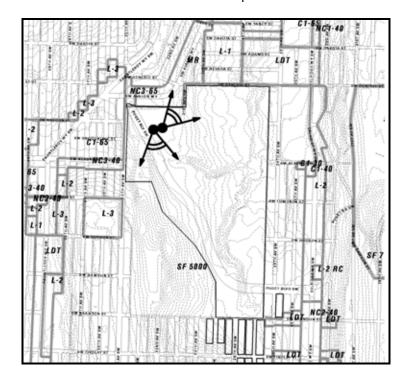
West Seattle Golf Course

35th SW and SW Snoqualmie



LOCATION AND VIEWPOINT CATEGORY

The Golf course is located in the Delridge neighborhood of West Seattle. Viewpoints located near the golf clubhouse provide wide-angled views of the downtown skyline and Mt. Rainier. 75% of the intended views are unobstructed.

SUMMARY OF EXISTING CONDITIONS

Poplars in the distant view should be evaluated for health, condition and location to see if they can be thinned or removed, improving views to the downtown. Large groupings of conifers obstruct views both south and north.

MANAGEMENT PRESCRIPTIONS

A. MAINTENANCE FOR EXISTING CONDITIONS Category 2 – Tree Pruning

Procedures:

1. Prune using ANSI 300 standards to reduce density

B. GENERAL MAINTENANCE PRACTICES

Five-year maintenance cycle frequency will require:

Pruning for form, shape and to prohibit view obstruction

View management locations:

Zone 1 - Developed park landscape

IMPLEMENTATION PLAN

Priority 3

The majority of intended views exist with the exception of a row of poplar trees on the edge of the park, and several large conifers obstructing view of the downtown skyline and Mt. Rainier.

<u>Phasing</u>

Phase 1 - Prune trees

Labor Sources (UF- Urban Forestry Staff, PM – Park Maintenance Staff)
UF staff:
-prune and remove trees
-prune shrubs and small trees,
control adjacent vegetation

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Downtown Seattle across golf course and Elliot Bay







Views south to Mount Rainier blocked by dense clusters of trees



LEGEND

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LANDSCAPE MANAGEMENT ZONES

Zone 1 - Developed Park Landscape

Zone 2 - Transition Zone 3 - Hillside

Park Boundary
Parcel Boundary

1:1800

0 0 50 Feet



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